## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS TYLER DIVISION

BEDROCK COMPUTER	§	
TECHNOLOGIES, LLC	§	
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Plaintiff,	§	
	§	<b>CASE NO. 609 CV 269</b>
VS.	§	
	§	<b>Jury Trial Demanded</b>
SOFTLAYER TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,	§	
et al.	§	
	§	
Defendants.	§	

# PLAINTIFF'S REPLY TO DEFENDANT SOFTLAYER TECHNOLOGIES, INC.'S ANSWER TO BEDROCK'S FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT, AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES, AND COUNTERCLAIMS

Plaintiff Bedrock Computer Technologies LLC ("Bedrock") files this Reply to Defendant Softlayer Technologies, Inc.'s Answer to Bedrock's First Amended Complaint, Affirmative Defenses, and Counterclaims, served on November 16, 2009 (Dkt. No.112). All allegations not expressly admitted are denied. The first set of paragraphs marked 1-21 of Softlayer's Answer do not require a response.

#### **AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES**

- 1. Bedrock incorporates by reference the allegations in its First Amended Complaint for Patent Infringement (Dkt. No. 102) in response to each and every of Softlayer's Affirmative Defenses.
- 2. Bedrock denies all allegations contained in Paragraph 1 of Softlayer's Affirmative Defenses.

- 3. Bedrock denies all allegations contained in Paragraph 2 of Softlayer's Affirmative Defenses.
- 4. Bedrock denies all allegations contained in Paragraph 3 of Softlayer's Affirmative Defenses.
- 5. Bedrock denies all allegations contained in Paragraph 4 of Softlayer's Affirmative Defenses.
- 6. Bedrock denies all allegations contained in Paragraph 5 of Softlayer's Affirmative Defenses.
- 7. Bedrock denies all allegations contained in Paragraph 6 of Softlayer's Affirmative Defenses.
- 8. Bedrock denies all allegations contained in Paragraph 7 of Softlayer's Affirmative Defenses.

#### **RESPONSE TO COUNTERCLAIMS**

- 10. Bedrock incorporates by reference the allegations in its Complaint for Patent Infringement in response to each and every of Softlayer's Counterclaims.
- 11. Bedrock admits that this Court has jurisdiction as alleged in Paragraph 1 of Softlayer's Counterclaims, but denies that Softlayer is entitled to any relief requested.
- 12. Bedrock admits the this Court has subject matter jurisdiction as alleged in Paragraph 2 of Softlayer's Counterclaims, but denies that Softlayer is entitled to any relief requested.
  - 13. Bedrock admits the allegations of Paragraph 3.
  - 14. Bedrock admits the allegations of Paragraph 4.

- 15. With respect to Paragraph 5, Bedrock admits that an actual and justiciable controversy exists between Bedrock and Softlayer with respect to the validity and infringement of the '120 patent. Bedrock denies that there is an actual and justiciable controversy with respect to the enforceability of the '120 patent because Softlayer has not alleged any fact or theory upon which the '120 patent can be adjudged unenforceable.
  - 16. Bedrock denies the allegations of Paragraph 6.

#### PRAYER FOR RELIEF

Bedrock incorporates by reference the Prayer for Relief set forth in Bedrock's First Amended Complaint for Patent Infringement. Bedrock denies that Softlayer is entitled to any relief.

#### **DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL**

Bedrock hereby demands that all issues be determined by jury.

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Respectfully submitted,

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# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned certifies that the foregoing document was filed electronically in compliance with Local Rule CV-5(a). As such, this document was served on all counsel who have consented to electronic service on this, the 2nd day of December, 2009. Local Rule CV-53(a)(3)(A).

/s/ J. Austin Curry
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